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Southern District of Ohio

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**Related Case Memorandum
Civil Cases**

U.S. DISTRICT COURT
SOUTHERN DIST. OHIO
EAST. DIV. COLUMBUS

TO: District Judge Morrison, District Judge Watson, and Magistrate Judge Deavers

FROM: Kristen Keppler, Case Administrator

DATE: August 26, 2021

SUBJECT: Case Caption: John Doe v. The Ohio State University

CASE: Case Number: Doc. 2:21-cv-4254 1

DISTRICT JUDGE: Morrison (referred to Magistrate Judge Deavers)

File Date: August 25, 2021

This memorandum is to notify you that the civil cover sheet on the above referenced case reflects the following alleged related case(s):

Related Case(s): _____

Case Caption: Brian Garrett, et al. v. The Ohio State University

Case Number: Doc. 2:18-cv-692 1 District Judge: Watson

File Date: July 16, 2018 Magistrate Judge: Deavers

Related Case(s): _____

Case Caption: _____

Case Number: _____ District Judge: _____

File Date: _____ Magistrate Judge: _____

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The District Judges having conferred, we respond to Case Administrator Kristen Keppler as follows:

Judges' Response:

- We agree that the cases are not related and that the subject case should remain with the Judge to whom it is assigned.
- We agree that the cases are related and that the subject case should be transferred to the docket of Judge Watson
- We agree that although the cases are related, the subject case nevertheless should remain with the Judge to whom it was assigned.
- We are unable to agree and will accept any decision made by the Chief Judge.
- I am the Judge on both/all of the listed cases and have determined that the cases are not related.
- I am the Judge on both/all of the listed cases and have determined that the cases are related and they shall both/all remain on my docket.
- Other Direction of Judge: _____

Michael H. Watson
United States District Judge

Faulkner
United States District Judge

United States District Judge

Cc: Courtroom Deputies